Updates on COVID-19 Vaccine Effectiveness during Omicron

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Organization of presentation

- Evidence organized by outcome, then by age within outcome
 - Infection
 - Emergency department/urgent care (ED/UC)
 - Hospitalization

Vaccine effectiveness (VE) data for infection with Omicron

HEROES-RECOVER

- Design: Prospective cohort study
- Population:
 - HEROES-RECOVER: Adults, including frontline essential workers
- Methods: Weekly surveillance and self-swab
 - SARS-CoV-2 testing by RT-PCR and whole genome sequencing
 - Electronic surveys during and after SARS-CoV-2 infection
 - Multi-method vaccination documentation
- Analysis: Cox proportional hazards model adjusted by propensity to be vaccinated, site, SARS-CoV-2 circulation, and community mask use
 - Prior infection excluded



HEROES-RECOVER: VE against SARS-CoV-2 <u>infection</u> during Omicron variant predominance, <u>adults ≥18 years</u>, Aug 2021-May 2022



* Most participants were fully vaccinated by early-mid 2021 and therefore were unable to contribute to Omicron VE <150 days from the 2nd dose.

** Based on timing of receipt of 3rd dose, 3-dose estimates include predominantly BA.2/BA.2.12.1 cases compared with 2-dose estimates which were based primarily on BA.1.

Based on methods in: Yoon SK, Hegmann KT, Theise MS, et al. Protection with a Third Dose of mRNA Vaccine against SARS-CoV-2 Variants in Frontline Workers. N Engl J Med 2022; 12;386:1855-1857.

Increasing Community Access to Testing (ICATT) Partnership: VE analysis for <u>symptomatic infection</u>

- Nationwide community-based drive-through COVID-19 testing via pharmacies
- Self-reported vaccine history at time of registration for COVID-19 testing; excluded those who did not report vaccination status
- Design: Test-negative, case-control analysis
- Population: Persons with ≥1 COVID-like symptom and nucleic acid amplification testing (NAAT)

Adjusted for:

 Race, ethnicity, gender, site's HHS region, site census tract's social vulnerability index (SVI); conditional on test month

Period for analysis:

- Adolescents: tested December 26, 2021-May 31, 2022 (mix of BA1, BA2, and BA2.12.2)
- Adults: tested April 1-May 31, 2022 (mix of BA2 and BA2.12.2)

ICATT: Pfizer-BioNTech 3 vs. 2-dose relative VE against symptomatic infection, ages 12-15 years



*Vaccination dose dates are collected as month and year. Month 0 represents tests in the same month as 2nd dose (at least 2 weeks after 2nd dose). For all months greater than or equal to 1 the value represents the difference between calendar month of test and calendar month of 2nd dose receipt (at least 2 weeks after 2nd dose).

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Overall summary of VE against infection

- 3rd dose provides added protection against Omicron infection in adolescents and adults. Too early to assess in children 5-11 years.
- Some waning against infection during Omicron predominance, even with 3rd dose.
- Patterns of mRNA VE and waning by time since last dose look similar across age groups.

Vaccine effectiveness data for <u>emergency</u> <u>department/urgent care (ED/UC)</u> due to Omicron in the US

VISION Multi-State Network of Electronic Health Records



- Cases: COVID-like illness (CLI) with positive PCR for SARS-CoV-2 within 14 days before or 72 hours after the admission or encounter
- Controls: CLI with negative PCR for SARS-CoV-2

- Delta vs. Omicron determined by time when Omicron predominated in study site (mid-December 2021)
- VE adjusted by propensity to be vaccinated weights, calendar time, region, local virus circulation, and age
- Vaccination documented by electronic health records and state and city registries

VISION: mRNA VE for <u>ED/UC</u> visits by number of doses and time since last dose receipt for <u>children and adolescents</u> during Omicron, mid-Dec 2021–mid-May 2022

Total	Median day from last dose to ED/UC encounter (IQR)	SARS-CoV-2 positive, N (%)	Adjusted VE (95% CI))							
18,223		2719 (14.9)	Ref								
1,705	36 (26-46)	239 (14.0)	50 (40-58)								
5,242		1182 (22.6)	Ref								
196	40 (28-52)	24 (12.2)	56 (28-74)								
3,132	195 (143-226)	635 (20.3)	22 (10-32)	-							
554	58 (35-79)	16 (2.9)	73 (50-85)								
				-40 -20 0 20 40 60 80 1							
				Vaccine Effectiveness (%)							
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VISION: mRNA VE for <u>ED/UC visits</u> among <u>immunocompetent adults ≥18 years</u> by number of doses and time since last dose receipt and variant predominance, mid-Dec 2021–mid-May 2022



Vaccine Effectiveness (%)

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Vaccine effectiveness data for hospitalization due to Omicron in the US

VISION: mRNA VE for <u>hospitalization</u> among <u>immunocompetent adults ≥18 years</u> by number of doses and time since last dose receipt and variant predominance, mid-Dec 2021–mid-May 2022

			Days since most						
	Total	CLI cases	median (IQR)	Adjusted VE % (95% CI)					
BA.1 period (days s	since mos	st recent dos	e)		-				
Unvaccinated	14,960	6,862		Ref.					
2 doses (14-149)	1,247	297	105 (73, 129)	69 (64 - 73)					
2 doses (≥150)	8,998	2,559	290 (252, 322)	61 (59 - 64)				1	
3 doses (7-119)	9,229	780	72 (48, 94)	92 (91 - 93)					
3 doses (≥120)	1,505	82	132 (125, 143)	86 (82 - 89)				×	
BA.2/BA.2.12.1 per	iod (days	since most	recent dose)						
Unvaccinated	4,654	290		Ref.					
2 doses (14-149)	245	7	99 (71, 127)	61 (8 - 83)	F				
2 doses (≥150)	3,574	235	368 (305, 408)	30 (14 - 42)					
3 doses (7-119)	1,807	55	96 (76, 109)	71 (59 - 79)			-		
3 doses (≥120)	5,629	336	166 (146, 186)	55 (45 - 64)				4	
4 doses (7-59)*	737	40	23 (14, 32)	80 (69-86)					
* Only estimated a	among a	dults ≥50 ye	ears of age		-60 -40 -20 0	20	40 60	80	100

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VISION: mRNA VE against <u>hospitalization</u> by time since 3rd dose receipt for <u>immunocompromised adults ≥18 years</u> during Omicron predominance, mid-Dec 2021–May 29, 2022



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IVY Network: VE against Omicron variant COVID-19associated <u>hospitalization</u>

- **Design**: Test-negative, case-control assessment
- **Period**: December 26, 2021–May 31, 2022
- Population: Adults (≥18 years) hospitalized at 21 medical centers in 18 states
- Participants have COVID-like illness and test:
 - <u>Cases</u>: SARS-CoV-2-<u>positive</u> by RT-PCR or antigen tests
 - <u>Controls</u>: SARS-CoV-2-<u>negative</u> by RT-PCR
- VE adjustments:
 - Age (18–49, 50–64, and ≥65 years, or continuous for models stratified by age), sex, race/ethnicity, admission date (biweekly), and HHS region





IVY: VE against <u>hospitalization</u> among <u>immunocompetent</u> adults during Omicron, by age group, Dec 26, 2021-May 31, 2022

	Vaccinated COVID-19 cases/total cases (%)	Vaccinated controls/ total controls (%)	Median days since last dose (IQR)	Adjusted VE % (95% Cl)							
Overall											
2 doses	445/1053 (42)	406/753 (54)	269 (201–323)	44 (31–54)				—	-		
3 doses	299/907 (33)	560/907 (62)	102 (64–145)	76 (70–81)							
18-64 years											
2 doses	217/593 (37)	232/482 (48)	250 (182–304)	39 (21–53)					-		
3 doses	95/471 (20)	239/489 (49)	90 (58–128)	72 (61–80)					-		
≥65 years											
2 doses	228/460 (50)	174/271 (64)	290 (234–333)	47 (26–62)			-				
3 doses	204/436 (47)	321/418 (77)	115 (69–154)	80 (72–86)							
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				-4	0 -20	0	20	40	60	80	100
						Vaccine Effectiveness (%)					

IVY: VE against <u>hospitalization</u> among <u>immunocompromised</u> adults during Omicron, by age group, Dec 26, 2021-May 31, 2022

	Vaccinated COVID-19 cases/total cases (%)	Vaccinated controls/ total controls (%)	Median days since last dose (IQR)	Adjusted VE % (95% CI)								
Overall												
2 doses	163/289 (56)	141/219 (64)	283 (215–332)	37 (7–58)			ŀ					
3 doses	238/364 (65)	306/384 (80)	122 (76–163)	57 (38–70)								
4 doses	4/130 (3)	12/90 (13)	24 (14–34)	89 (47–98)					F			
18-64 years												
2 doses	98/178 (55)	84/142 (59)	268 (182–316)	25 (-24–55)								
3 doses	100/180 (56)	137/195 (70)	123 (76–168)	55 (27–73)				÷			-	
4 doses	1/81 (1)	7/65 (11)										
≥65 years												
2 doses	65/111 (59)	57/77 (74)	303 (250–339)	63 (22–82)								
3 doses	138/184 (75)	169/189 (89)	121 (76–160)	65 (36–81)								
4 doses	3/49 (6)	5/25 (20)										
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					-40	-20	0	20	40	60	80	100
					Vaccine Effectiveness (%)							

CDC, preliminary unpublished data

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Vaccine effectiveness during Omicron

- Reduced VE during Omicron compared to Delta lower for 2 doses compared to 3 doses
- 3rd dose provides significant additional protection against infection and severe disease and appears to wane more slowly
 - Apparent lower VE during BA.2 may be attributable to differences in prior infection between BA.1 and BA.2 periods
- Similar patterns across age groups
- Too early to draw conclusions about 4th dose in overall population; provides substantial additional protection among immunocompromised

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